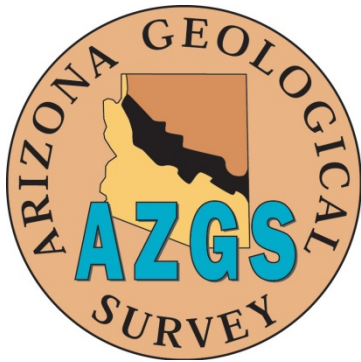




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A

GEOLOGICAL EVALUATION

and

EXPLORATION

REPORT

on the

MONITOR MINE PROPERTY

Pinal County, Arizona

by

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Map No. 4 - Surface Map, Monitor Mine, Pinal County, Arizona.

INTRODUCTION:

At the request of Mr. Steve Radvak and authorization by BX Development Ltd., both of Vancouver, B. C., Canada, the writer visited and examined the Monitor Mine copper property on June 23, 1974. Accompanying the writer were Messrs Lester R. Cox and James Simpson, Miami, Arizona and Vancouver, B. C., respectively.

The Monitor Mine property is adjacent to and on the northeast boundary of Kennecotts Pearl Handle open pit and property, Ray, Arizona, in Pinal County and in particular in the Dripping Springs mountains in T. 2 & 3 S., R. 14 E., G. and S. R. B. and M. (See Map Nos 1 and 2).

The writer has prepared the following report which is based on a personal field examination of the general geology and mineralized areas, on the writers personal general geologic knowledge of the area and upon the review and study of available factual data as surface Maps, drill hole assays, etc. as provided by Mr. L. R. Cox.

PROPERTY, LOCATION and ACCESSIBILITY:

The property consists of 109 standard lode mining claims, some of which are fractions, thus it is difficult to ascertain the acreage, except as an approximate figure of 1,800 acres. The following lists the claim names and their Docket and Page numbers as recorded in Pinal County Records Office, Florence, Arizona.

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Claim Name	Recorded	
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Scott No. 7 (also known as Lehigh No. 2)	588	950
Haley No. 2 Am'd., No. 4 Am'd., No. 7 Am'd., and No. 8 Amended.	588	951- 954
Ingersol	630	485
Hobart	630	486

The claims are located in all or parts of Sections 36, T. 2 S., R. 13 E., Sections 29, 30, 31 and 32 T. 2 S., R. 14 E., Section 1 T. 3 S., R. 13 E., and Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, T. 3 S., R. 14 E. in and on top of the Dripping Springs mountains as well as on parts of the eastern and western slopes in the particular area. The general terrain is relatively steep and rough.

The mining town of Ray, just east of State Route 177, is about 15 miles southeast from Superior, Arizona, which in turn is about 70 miles east on U. S. Highway 60 of Phoenix, Arizona. The Monitor Mine property, can not however, be approached from Ray, or the west side of Dripping Springs mountains, instead, access to the property is through Globe, Arizona.

Travel to the property requires 4 wheel drive vehicle. As one approaches Globe from the west (eastward travel) on U. S. Highway 60 from Phoenix, a traffic signal is encountered at a "Y" and a Railroad underpass; the right arm (straight ahead) is the truck route, the left arm the City business route (most easy to follow). Using this traffic light as a starting point -- use left arm of "Y" - business route of U. S. Highway 60 for 1.8 miles through town to the Junction of U. S. 60 and U. S. 70 (U. S. 60 to Showlow, U. S. 70 to Safford). Take U. S. 70 for 2.0 miles to Junction with State Route 77, turning right onto Route 77 to the south. Mile post 154 will be seen after 16 miles of travel on Route 77 and 0.3 miles beyond is the Dripping Springs Road Junction on the right. Travel this gravel rancher type road - County maintained in part - for 1.8 miles to fork in road - take right arm for 7.3 miles in a north-westerly direction to a second fork - again taking the right arm. Continued travel for 1.7 miles is a third fork. Using the left arm - "up-creek or wash" for 0.3 miles is a fourth fork just after leaving the wash. Taking the left arm, it crosses another wash or creek and leads to the top of the mountain range (a pass) and an area of several cuts, trenches and large pits. This point is in the area of the Monitor and Richmond claims. A trail to the southwest from this point does lead to Ray and is said to be an old stage coach road from Globe, but is not now travelable by vehicle.

FACILITIES:

No gas or electricity is available at or near the property. Unless one of the nearby springs can be developed, hauling of water for drilling would be required - presumably obtainable at Dripping Springs wash. Mention is made in an old report - 1919 - that a tunnel or Adit on the Monitor claim was providing water sufficient to serve a large number of cattle. The writer saw no water in the immediate area.

HISTORY, DEVELOPMENT and PRODUCTION:

As with the area around Globe, these mountains were prospected primarily for gold and silver and some of the heavily ironized structures in the area of the Monitor claim were prospected, mined and some tonnage shipped, probably Silver City, New Mexico. The copper content or presence was usually of secondary importance to these prospectors unless the grade was in excess of say 10%. A 1929 report by Mining Engineer Thomas F. Weedon covering the Monitor, Richmond, Dewey, Tucson, Mountain View, Cumberland and Merrimas claims indicates in general that structures of $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 or 6 feet wide and carrying high silver and copper values, example 50 to 300 ounces of silver and 7 to 27% copper, were mined. The report indicates ore was shipped but that smelter returns could not be located.

As part of the annual assessment work, Mr. Lester Cox drilled 9 percussion holes for the owner of the property, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hagen, Globe, Arizona, on the Richmond claim to depths of 130 to 155 feet, taking five foot samples and assaying each. These reports are in the hands of the writer. (See Map No. 4)

In year 1971, Ranchers Exploration Co., operators of the Bluebird Mine, Miami, Arizona drilled 9 percussion holes to depths of 95 to 250 feet. These holes were also sampled each five feet and assayed. The assay reports are in the hands of the writer. (see Map No. 4)

Two diamond core holes were drilled but records of these are not available. (See Map No. 4)

GENERAL GEOLOGY:

The general geology in the Ray area, including the Dripping Springs Mts. is a complex of Pre-Cambrian schist, Cambrian to Tertiary diabase, Pre-Cambrian Apache group which locally includes the Mescal limestone, Dripping Springs quartzite, Barnes and/or Scanlan conglomerates and Pioneer shale, the Cambrian Troy quartzite, Carboniferous- Devonian limestones and other sediments, Laramide granite and related crystalline intrusive rocks and Tertiary dacite.

There are many major and minor faults and structures in the area, many of which are probably due to the activity of the Laramide granite and related crystalline intrusive rocks of the area which are actually part of the Schultz granite outcropping to the north of the property and west-southwest of Ray.

The claimed area hosts a majority of the rocks previously mentioned as well as many of the faults and/or structures. Unfortunately, no surface geological map of the claimed area has either not been completed, or if such mapping was completed by others, such is not available. The writer has "sketched in" the general surface geology on Map No. 3. The property covers about three square miles in area, thus, the "sketching" completed by the writer is strictly a "sketch".

MINERALIZATION:

Kennecotts Pearl Handle Pit is a mass of oxides and sulphides of copper mineralization in the schist, related granitic crystalline rocks, diabase and sediments and a spectacular sight when viewed from the "Public" observation area on the west bank of the Pit - looking east, from north to south, 180° of view. The bluish, greenish oxide zones, the heavily ironized zones and the lighter sulphide copper zones are clearly distinguishable. (See included photograph).

The major trend of the zones of mineralization appear to be northeast toward the Monitor Mine property. Kennecott has claims in this direction. (See Claim Map No. 2).

At the Monitor Mine property, much higher in elevation than the Pearl Handle Pit, the old prospectors completed much work on the heavy ironized structures, usually 2 to 6 feet wide and trending northeast, slightly northwest and/or east-west. These structures and/or faults occur in the schist, the limestones and shale, in quartzites and in a porphyry - so designated by Thomas F. Weedon, author of the early report.

The mined structures contained, according to Weedon, copper sulphides and sulphurites, cuprite, "peacock copper", virgin silver, bromides, sulphides and chloride of silver. The caved underground workings examined by Weedon are not now accessible, however, examination of the residual limonites on and near the surface in the area of the structures indicates to the writer that the mineralized zones would contain chalcopyrite, chalcocite, probably bornite as well as the silver mineral argentite.

Mr. Weedon points out that the gangue of the structures is silica (quartz) limespar (calcite) and in some instances a porphyry rock. Accompanying all structures is a heavy talc selvage - indicating most structures are faults with movement in some direction.

A second mode of mineralization occurs and appears to be confined to localized exposures of the Pioneer shale which outcrops near the ridge top on the Richmond claim. Here the shale has fractures at a slight angle to the shale strike and a dip slightly greater than normal to the shale dip. These fractures are filled with the copper oxides - malachite and azurite. Only occasionally does this mineralization "seep" into the bedding planes of the shale, or in some instances, the quartzites. This mode of mineralization, partially explored by percussion drilling, appears to be limited in tonnage and grade. (See Map No. 4).

A third mode of mineralization is that similar to the Pearl Handle Pit - low grade oxide and sulphide copper mineralization in the schist and granite related crystalline intrusive rocks.

During his examination, the writer observed and viewed a wide, 100 to 250 feet, zone of rock discoloration trending in a northeast direction from the Pearl Handle Pit towards, to and beyond the Richmond claim. The discoloration is due to the presence of limonites and the varied color of the rock itself - granite and related crystalline intrusive rocks, contained within the zone. This is a major structural feature which may

well be the "feeder" of the subordinate mineralization in the narrow veins and in the fractures of the Pioneer shale as exhibited on the Richmond-Monitor claims.

Although the zone is not continuously observable and traceable foot by foot on the surface, it does extend from the east bank of the Pearl Handle Pit (just left of the most southerly "blue zone" in the included photograph), north northeast across the lower foothills and up Rustler Gulch to the pass on the Richmond claim (not on photograph but to the upper left) into the Monitor claim and down Silver Creek past the area called the old camp (old building in disrepair). The writer has viewed this zone from the top of the Monitor property looking down and south-westerly and from the Pearl Handle Pit looking up and northeasterly to the pass area.

The surface-wise appearance and disappearance is no doubt due to the irregularity of outline of the intrusive which is quite a normal condition. At some depth this condition should resolve into one continuous mass.

The second "blue zone" (the most southerly in the photograph) is a similar zone and trends more northeasterly. It also is observable looking northeasterly from the Pearl Handle Pit but probably not quite as pronounced, as the other zone, where it crosses the lower foothills and more or less up Jimmies Luck Gulch towards the southeast two tiers off the Monitor claims, viz: The Talco and Max Factor claims. This zone may be as strong as the first described zone, however, it is not as prominent surface-wise and thus not so easily traceable. The thick sediments in the southern and southeast portion of the Monitor Mine property may well hide this structure.

PROPERTY POTENTIAL:

The copper oxide mineralization hosted by the Pioneer shale appears to be quite limited as indicated by the past percussion drilling, thus, little potential exists in this area.

Adequate exploration by drilling could possibly develop a half million tons of ore as narrow, high grade copper-silver vein material which might average 5.0% copper and 30 ounces silver per ton. This potential could be considered as a secondary target.

The important target-and potential- in the opinion of the writer, is the large north-northeast trending structural zone and its sister, to the southeast, both of which traverse the country side from the Pearl Handle Pit to well within the Monitor group of claims.

EXPLORATION REQUIREMENTS - COSTS:

The Monitor Mine property is large in area - 1800 or more acres, difficult to traverse because of the steep and rough terrain, somewhat complex in its geology and with mineralization targets that appear minimal at the on-

set. It is for these reasons that a geological map of the claims does not exist. The history of former leasees suggests the "hunt-peck" approach on selected small targets.

Exploration and development of this property requires and deserves a systematic time consuming and expensive approach.

The following step by step program is recommended and necessary to good procedural exploration. Part of the program might be considered as a "fact finding" phase in order to provide sufficient evidence on which to base placement of drill holes to the best advantage, type drill to be used and depths of such holes.

1. - Triangulation control for the property.
2. - Stadia-transit sub-triangulation for control of property outline and claims, geological mapping and geophysical surveys.
3. - Geological mapping of the property, covering the areas of interest first and moving outward as far as required.
4. - A detailed geophysical survey for the property as determined by the mapped geology and including I. P., magnetic and any other method which may be adaptable and useful for the area.
5. - Opening of the various caved workings, particularly the Adits which were driven on these high grade copper-silver veins.
6. - Rehabilitation of existing roads and construction of new roads, drill sites, etc
7. - Exploratory drilling as diamond core with rotary or percussion as "fillin" if required.

The writer estimates the following budget for the suggested program, as outlined above, would be as :

Phase I:

Triangulation Survey	\$ 10,000.-
Stadia-transit sub-triangulation	\$ 8,000.-
Geological Mapping	\$ 22,000.-
Geophysical Surveys	\$ 60,000.-
Underground rehabilitation-opening of caves	\$ 9,000.-
Road rehabilitation and new construction	\$ 13,000.-
Exploratory drilling (estimate 15,000 feet)	\$ 320,000.-

Total Phase I \$ 442,000.-

The above items or programs includes, where applicable, expenses and travel of personnel associated with the program.

If the results of Phase I, including the drilling are satisfactory, encouraging, etc, the writer foresees an expanded Phase II program expenditure of approximately \$1,000,000.-, mostly as drilling costs.

Respectfully submitted,

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Phoenix, Arizona.

July 13, 1974

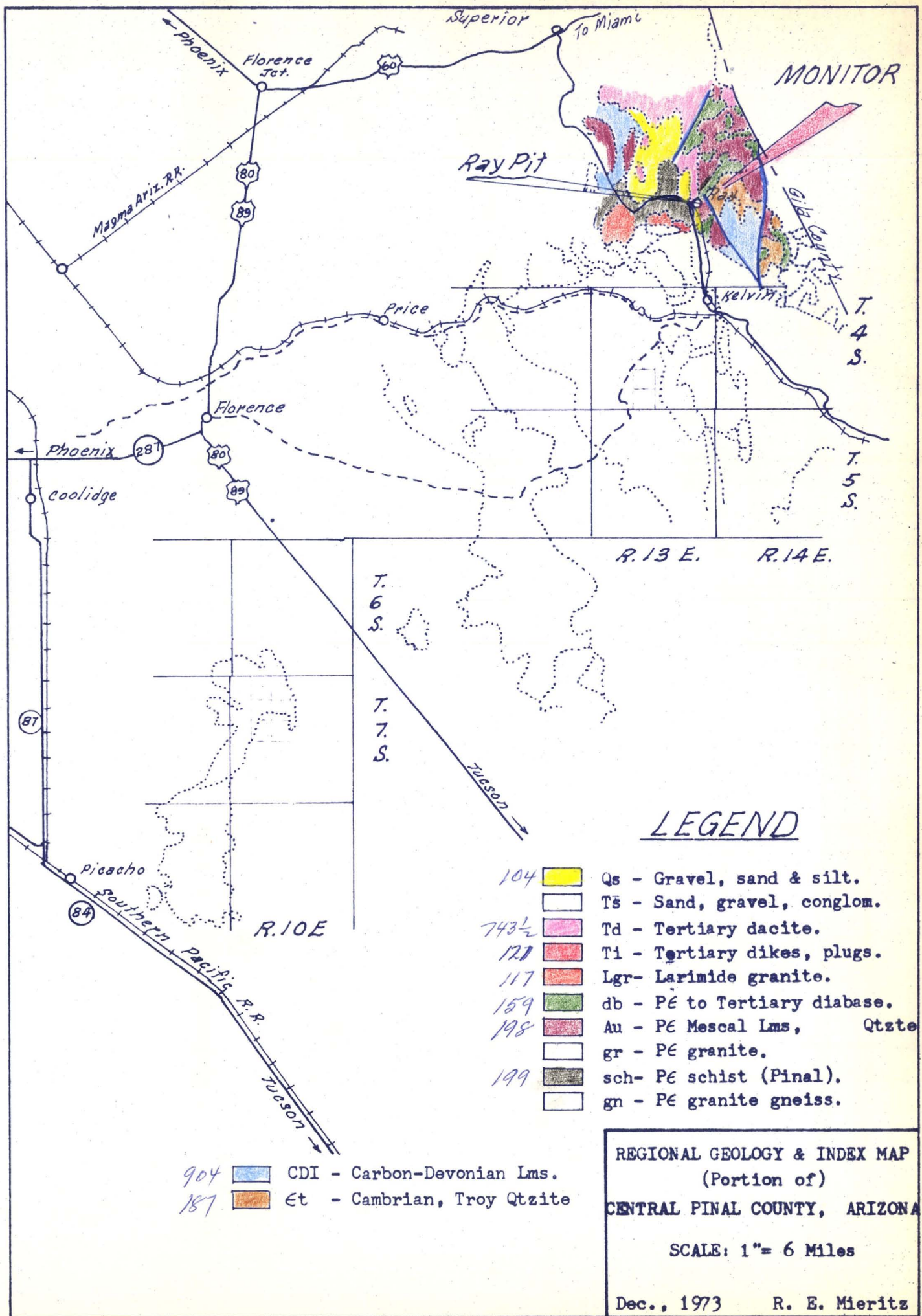
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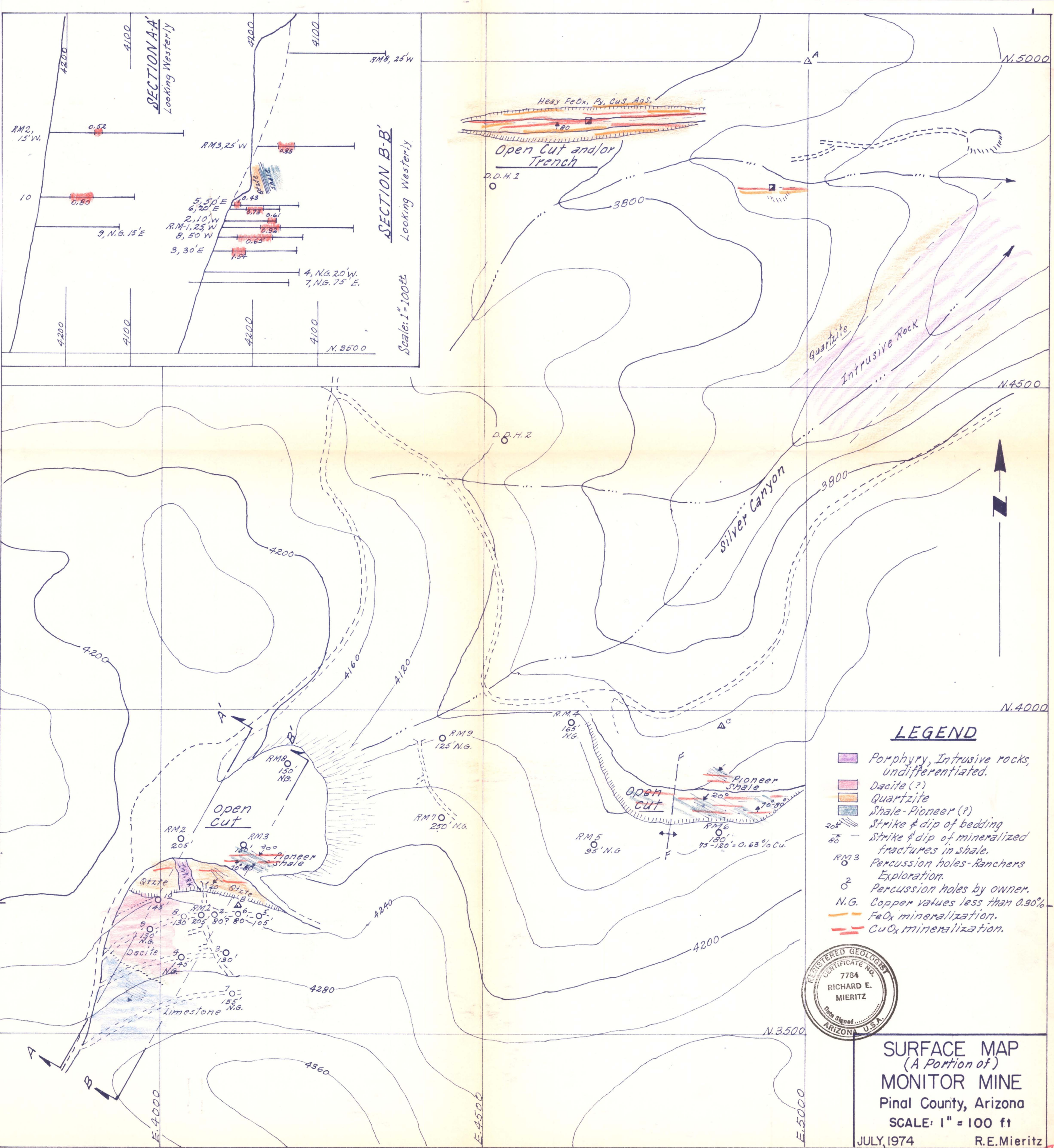
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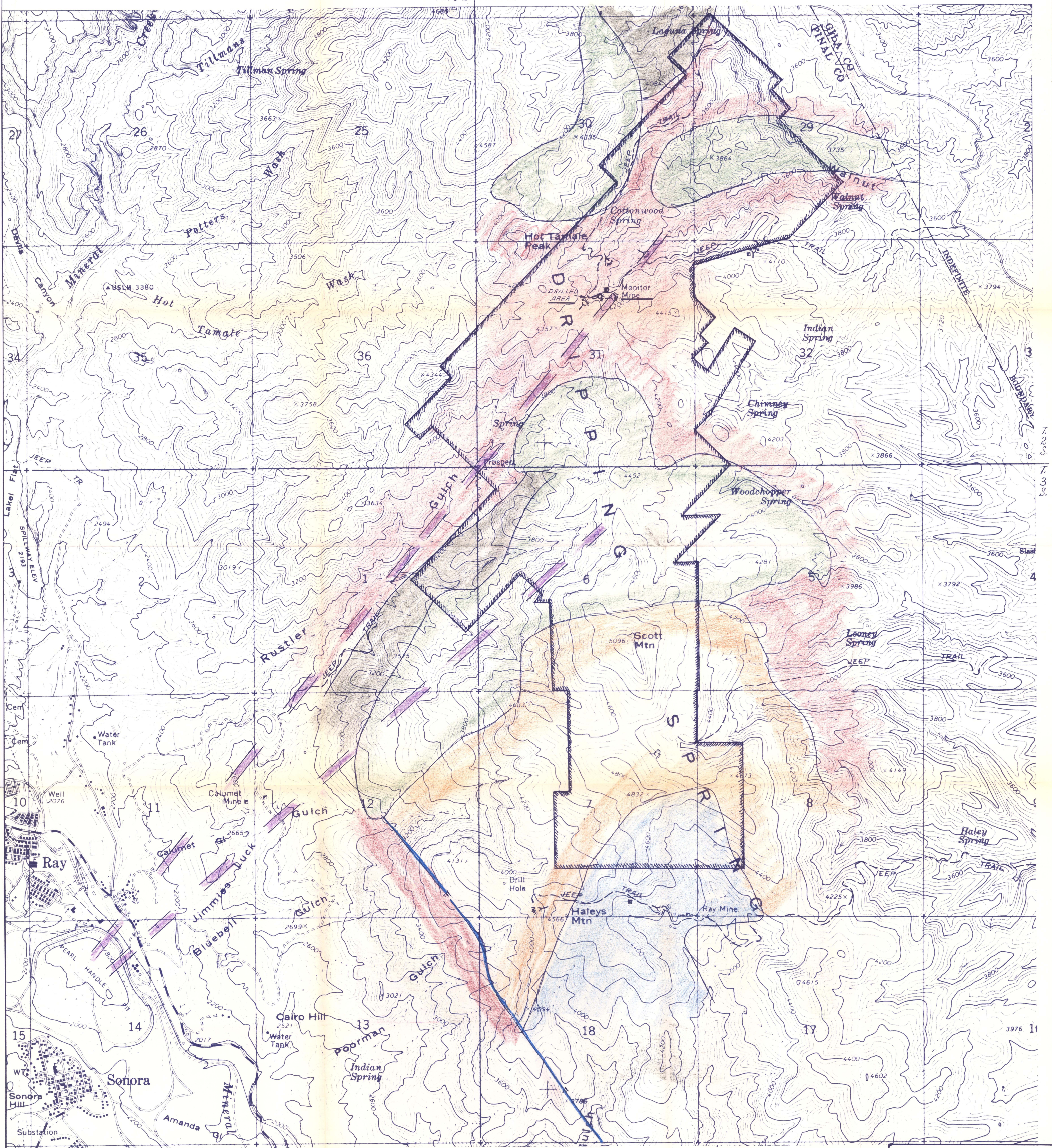
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Photograph taken from Public observation Area of Kennecotts Pearl Handle Open Pit (copper) on the West Bank of the Pit. Looking East to East Bank of Pit and Dripping Springs Mountains in the background. Note sediments in mountain range, displacement of sediments by faulting and possible antioclinal limb resulting from intrusive action to north, or left of picture.







LEGEND

- 159 db - Tertiary diabase.
 904 CDI - Carboniferous - Deronian Sediments, undifferentiated.
 187 Et - Cambrian - Troy Quartzite.
 193 Au - Pre-Cambrian - Apache group, limestone, Dripping Springs quartzite.
 199 Sub - Pre-Cambrian Schists, Pinal (?).

GEOLOGIC MAP
MONITOR MINE
 Pinal County, Arizona

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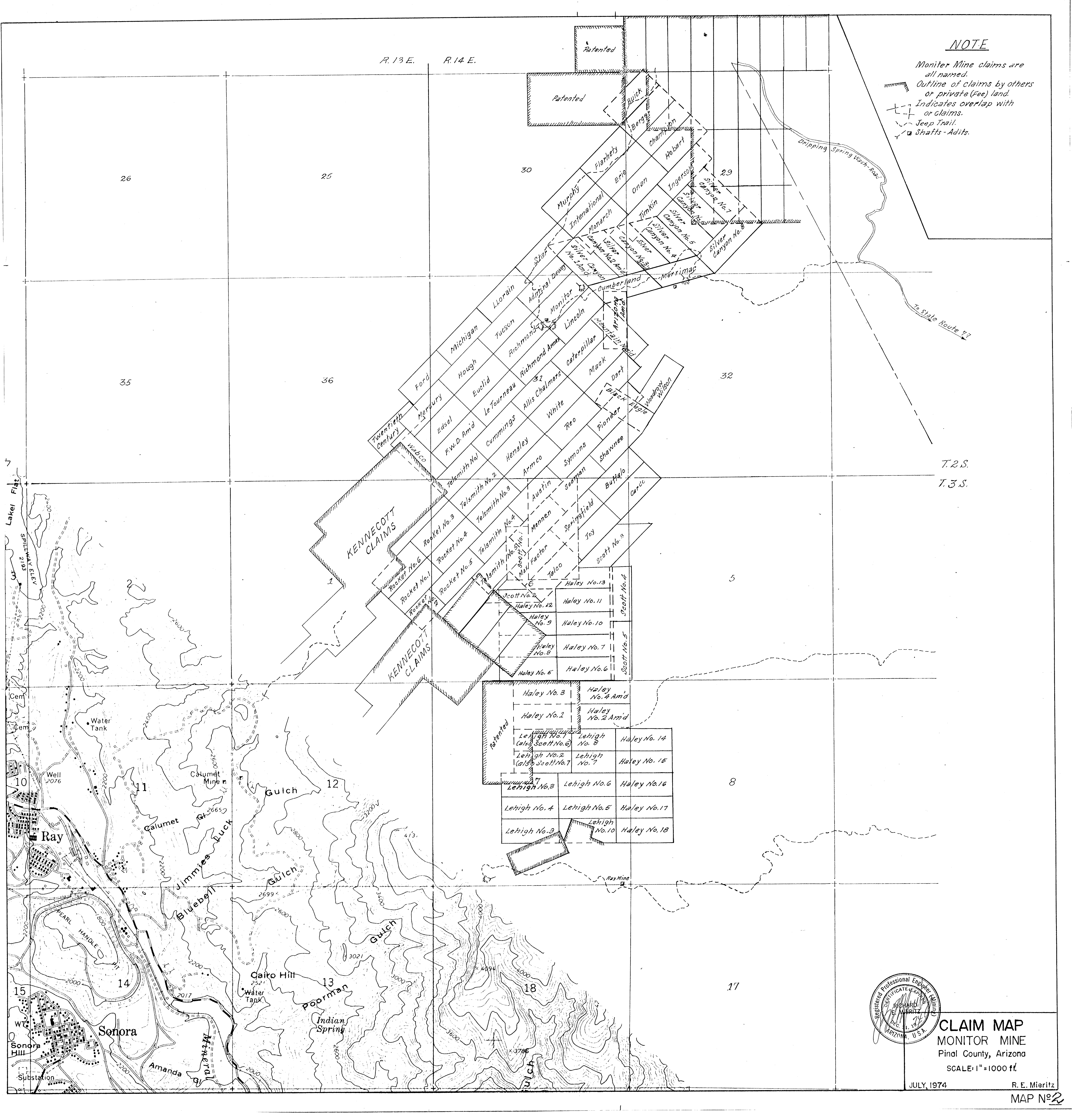
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NOTE

- Monitor Mine claims are all named.
- Outline of claims by others or private (fee) land.
- Indicates overlap with or claims.
- Jeep Trail.
- Shatts - Adits.



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T. 3 S.

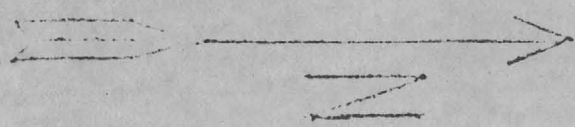


CLAIM MAP
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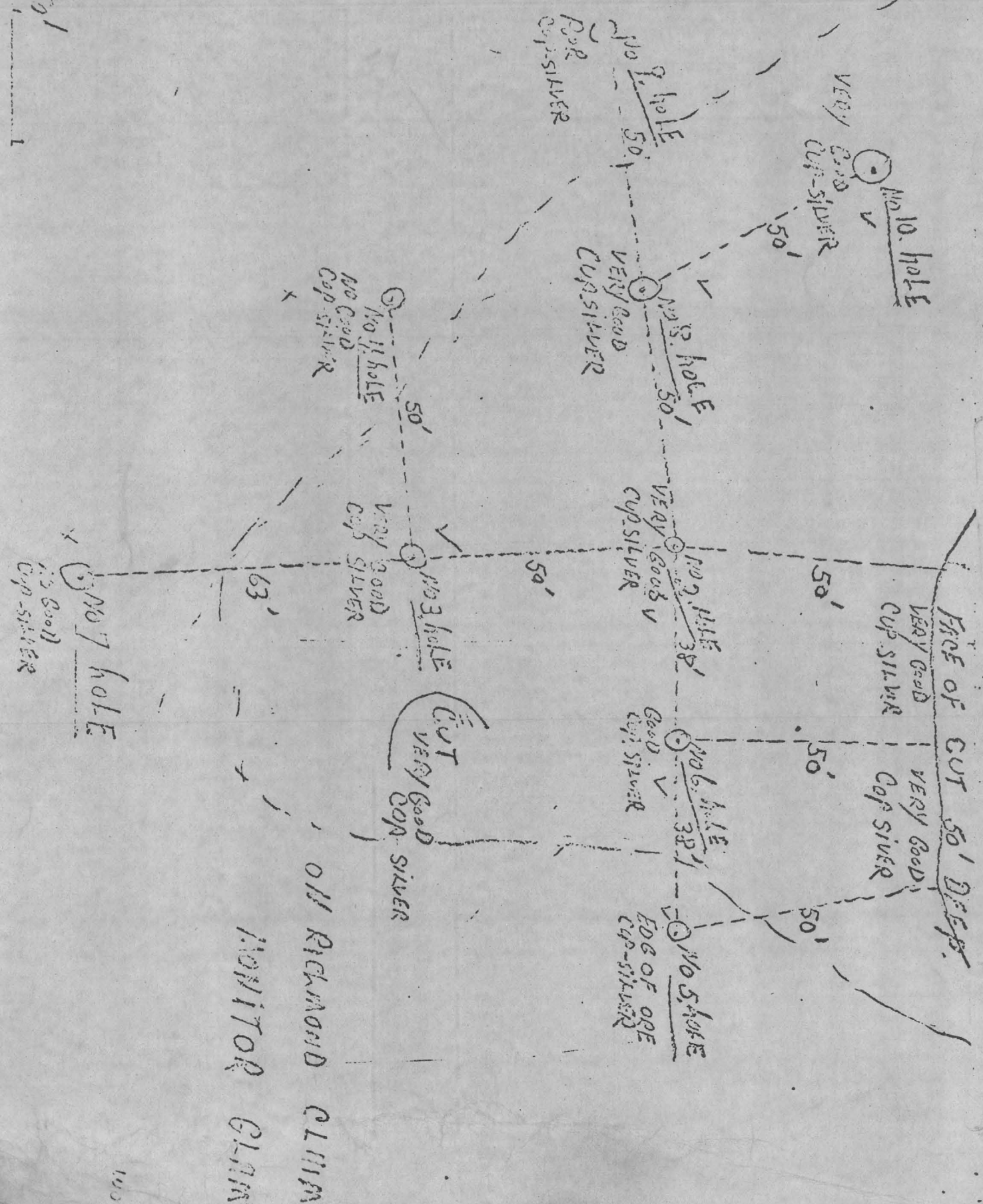
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about 1.0 Ag 80 0.50

Hole #3 25-30 0.12 ~~Ag~~ 8.3

35 1.90 7.4

40 2.42 19.1

45 1.31 5.1

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55 0.07 0.8

up & down
0.04-0.12
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Hole #4 NG

0.10 or less

Ag from 0.4 to 0.6

Hole #5 5-10 0.41 ~~Ag~~ 2.0

15 0.45 2.4

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Ag about 0.30

Hole #6 25-30 0.10 ~~Ag~~ 0.3

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60 0.21 3.8

65 0.10

Balance 0.10 or less. 0.7

Hole #7 - NG

0.01 to 0.08

about 0.20 Ag.

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85 0.35 1.2

90 0.30 0.9

95 0.08 1.4

Balance 0.02 to 0.14

Hole #9 NG 0.01 to 0.14

Hole #10 25-40 0.03 ~~Ag~~

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65 0.40 1.2

70 0.40 1.2

75 0.05 0.9

80 0.05 0.3

Bal. 0.03 to 0.14

Assays - Drill Holes - Monitor Mine

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	75 -	1.41		85	0.46
	80 -	0.85		90	0.56
	85 -	1.07		95	0.69
	90 -	0.74		100	1.16
	95	0.15		105	0.52
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RM-2	65-70 -	0.10		115	0.43
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	80 -	0.43		125	0.30
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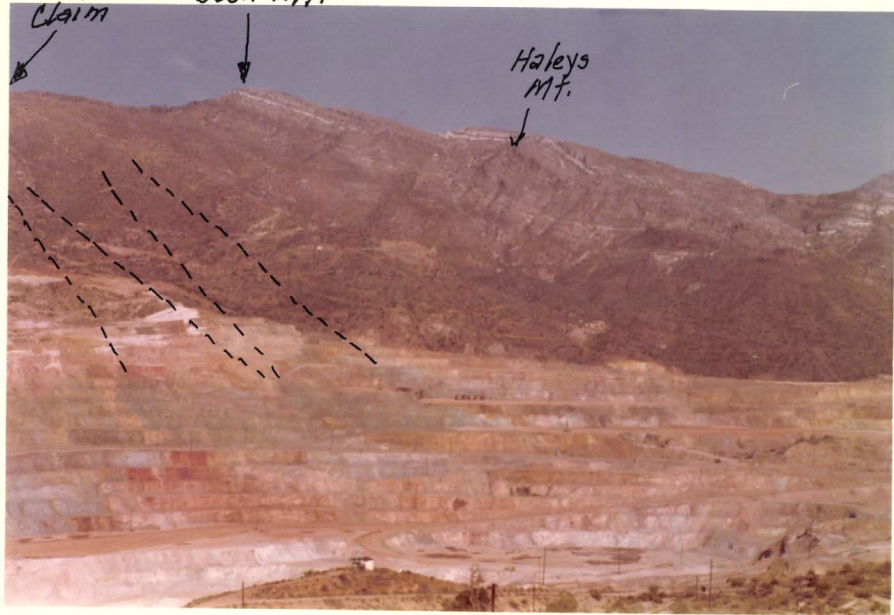
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Dear Mr. Cornelius:

Thank you for your phone calls of even date with questions about my July 13, 1974 report on the Monitor Mine, Pinal County, Arizona.

Herewith as you requested, a print of Map No. 4--
Surface Map (portion of) Monitor Mine which was included
in my report referred to previously.

As I mentioned, if it is your desire to have a copy of
the complete report with the necessary Maps, I would
have to have permission from either Mr. Pexin or Mr.
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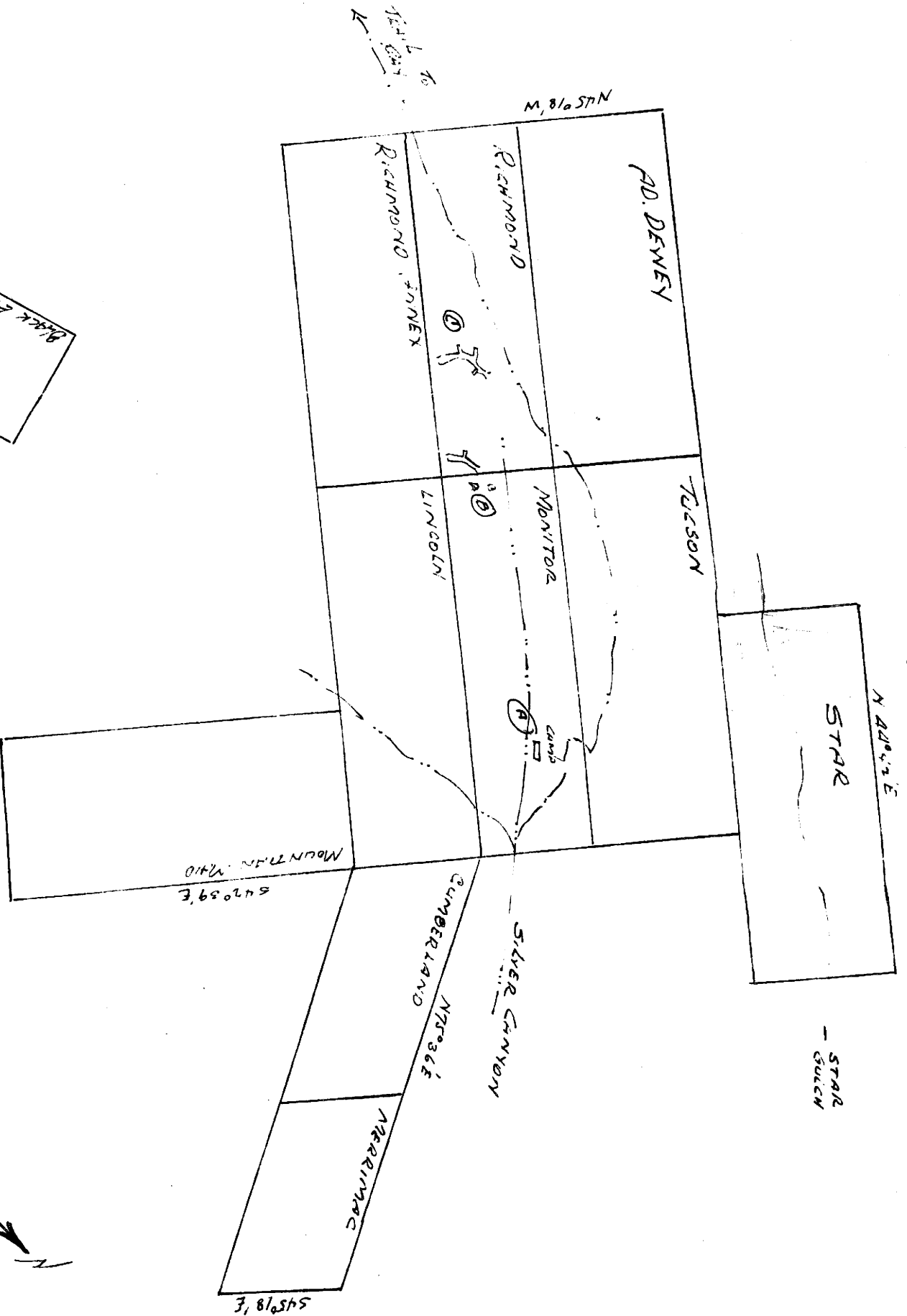
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Sincerely,

R. E. Mieritz

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This is most trustworthy evidence of permanence in a vein. There are also lime spar dykes cutting across the formation parallel with the veins, and in some instance, these dykes form the hanging wall of the veins.

The Monitor Mine:

Is the most extensively developed property of the group. A shaft was sunk on the main or central vein of this claim to a depth of eighty feet, at which point the inflow of water became so strong that it could not be handled by a windlass and bucket and work was suspended. This shaft shows high grade ore all the way down as far as I could go, and the owner informed me that an average sample from below water level assayed 200 ozs. silver and 35% copper per ton. Judging by the ore in sight, I do not doubt the statement. The vein in this shaft gradually widened as depth was attained and at the lowest point reached by me it was fully six feet in width between the porphyry foot and the lime hanging wall. A tunnel was run in the vein to tap and drain this shaft, but unfortunately, through miscalculations, the tunnel was started at too high an elevation.

It was driven in a distance of 200 feet and tapped the shaft about fourteen feet above the bottom of the latter. However, the tunnel was not "dead work" as the greater portion of it was in the ore chute, and for this reason it was extended along the hanging wall sixty-two feet beyond the shaft, making the whole length of the tunnel 262 feet. The vein exposed in this tunnel is over 6 feet wide and carries copper sulphides which according to sample assays give a general average from wall to wall of seven per cent copper and sixty ounces of silver per ton. Besides the main or central lead there are five small veins on the Monitor, running parallel with the main lead, two on the south and three on the north side of the main lead. On the just south vein, and near the 80 foot shaft above described, a shaft has been sunk to a depth of 30 feet.

It shows a pay streak in porphyry, about 4 feet in width, carrying ore which averages by sample assay 75 ounces silver per ton and 25 per cent copper. On the next vein south and but a short distance from the 20 foot shaft above described a 30 foot shaft has been sunk. The pay streak in this shaft is about 3 feet wide and the ore the same grade and character as that of the 20 foot shaft above mentioned. There has been some drifting and "gouging" in the shaft by leasers during the absence of the owners. The first vein north of the main lead shows some high grade lead and copper ore on the surface but it has not been developed to any extent yet. The second lead north of the main lead has been prospected by a sixty foot tunnel, driven in the vein. Thus tunnel shows pay ore from the breast to the face, the pay streak being about three feet in width. This pay streak by sample assay gives a general average of 50 ounces silver per ton and 27 per cent copper. The third vein north of the central lead has been rprospected only by a small open cut which shows a small streak of high grade copper ore carrying a high per cent of iron. About 50 feet from the face of the 262 foot tunnel a drift has been run into the country rock and a winze sunk at the breast of this drift to a depth of ten feet to procure a pure water supply for camp purposes. The water overflows from the winze and runs out through a gutter cut along the bottom of the tunnel. A stream sufficient in volume to water a large number of cattle flows out through this gutter continuously.

The Richmond Mine:

Is the West extension of the Monitor and its central vein is a continuation of the Monitor's central vein. Near the east end of this claim a shaft has been sunk, vertically to a depth of 110 feet, with a 30 foot cross cut at the bottom.

The timbers forming the collar of the shaft have decayed and some of them given away. They will not support a windlass, consequently I could not go down this shaft. I have been assured, however, by the men who sunk the shaft and made the crosscut, that the latter exposes an ore body 27 feet in width, assaying as high as 200 ounces silver and averaging 27 per cent copper and three hundred feet further west a shaft has been sunk to a depth of 40 feet on the vein and shows a pay streak about three feet in width and extending from the top to the bottom of the shaft, the ore being the same grade and character as that exposed in the other opening along the central vein. A tunnel was run a distance of 120 feet to connect with the bottom of this shaft and an upraise was made from the breast of this tunnel to a height of thirty feet. But this upraise must be extended ten feet or more higher in order to connect with the bottom of the shaft. This will give the shaft a depth of eighty feet. The pay streak in this upraise is 4 feet wide and shows the same grade and character of ore as in the shaft. A 40 foot crosscut was made near the face of the tunnel and the same shows vein matter about 30 feet in width carrying a fair grade of sulphide of copper ore which by assay gives a general average of 7 per cent. At this point the Dewey vein, which has a north and south course, comes into the tunnel and crosses the crosscut. It carries 3 feet of good ore. There are two more veins on the Richmond, one on each side and running parallel with the main or central vein. They have not been prospected to any great extent but where opened show the same high class ore found in the principal lead.

The Dewey Mine:

Lies north of and almost at a right angle to the Monitor and Richmond mines, its vein having a northerly and southerly trend. The Dewey is comparatively a recent discovery and is exploited only by the discovery shaft which has a depth of about 30 feet. This shaft reveals an exceedingly rich pay streak about 20 inches wide, which yields an average of 40 per cent copper and 300 ounces silver per ton. The vein matter is about 3 feet in width.

The Tucson Mine:

Lies between the Dewey and the Richmond and Monitor and parallel with the latter. It was but recently discovered and is open only by the discovery shaft which is 12 feet deep. It shows a 6 foot vein carrying high grade ore the same in character as that of the sister veins.

The Mountain View:

Abuts the west end of the Tucson claim. Here the formation changes the vein, which is 6 feet wide, lies in a contact, between trap rock and sandstone. This claim has on it two shafts, one thirty and the other ten feet deep. Both are on the vein and show a good grade of lead and copper ore. No assays have been made of this property.

The Cumberland and Merrimac:

Mines lie to the southwest of the Monitor and Richmond and have a northwest and southeast course. They cover the same vein for a length of three thousand feet. The vein has a uniform width of about 4 feet except on the east end of the Merrimac, and carries the same grade and character of ore as that of the Monitor and Richmond veins. On the Cumberland there is only a 14 foot shaft and some open cuts. Near the easterly end of the Merrimac is a large "blow-out" upon which 4 shafts have been sunk to a depth of 12, 25, 30 and 40 feet respectively. All show the same high grade ores carried by the other veins of the group.

The Ores:

Of the Richmond, Monitor, Dewey, Tucson, Cumberland and Merrimac are remarkably uniform in grade and character. They consist of copper sulphides, and sulphurets, cuprite, "peacock copper," virgin silver, bromides, sulphides and chloride of silver. But the ores of the Mountain View show a predominance of lead.

The Gangues of the Veins:

Are also uniform, being a siliceous material, except at a few points where lime spar has been pushed into the veins and at a few other points where porphyry has intruded and taken the place of the regular vein matter. The walls of the veins are all coated with a heavy talc selvage. There is a large amount of high grade ore in sight in the various workings.

A large amount of rich ore has been shipped from these properties at various times by leasers, but I was unable to get smelter returns from any of the shipments except one in which the owners were themselves interested. This was a shipment of seventeen and one-quarter tons shipped to the Silver City smelter. The shipment netted at the smelter a little over \$4,000.00

Taken as a whole, I do not know of so promising a group of copper prospects in Arizona, taking into account the character and value of the ore so far exposed to view. There are large bodies of ore in other prospects, of course, but none so uniformly high grade in both silver and copper. I am firm in the conviction that these properties, while undergoing systematic and intelligent development, would yield enough high grade shipping ore in a short time to more than cover the purchase price and at the same time leave a large surplus of a high grade second class ore on the dumps.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS F. WEEDEN, Mining Engineer.

1st light in Blake. - 20947.8

949.6 - Tot Safford.

951.6 - RT 77/LS.

67.6 - mile 15-4

67.9 - D. Grumpy Rd.

69.7 - Jct - Rt.

77.0 - Jct - Rt.

78.7 - turnoff - left - ~~into~~ creek.

79.0 - road creek - left Rd.

Cabin

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X RT

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Jct. #2

41.1 -

Jct. 349

RT. (4) - to 60

45.0 -

Nearby 60 -

Name of Claim

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Cumberland	✓42	194 4
Merrimac	✓42	191 8
Richmond	✓42	187 4
Richmond Annex	✓42	183 0
Monitor.	✓42	199 4
Tucson	✓42	189 8
Mountain Maid	✓42	188 8
Admiral Dewey	✓42	193 0
Star	✓42	192 4
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Lincoln	✓42	180 4
Twentieth Century	✓18	196 4
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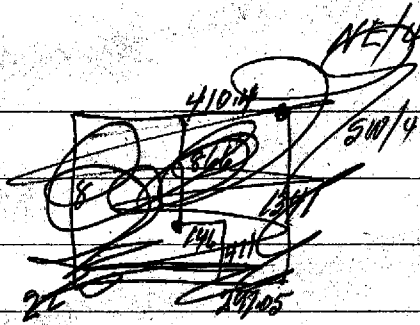
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Monitor Mine
Mining District

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Idaho, Calif., Honduras, Isle de France

301 - 91 1 mile SE of Government Springs

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CLAIM MAP
GEOLOGIC MAP.
SURFACE MAP.
(Portion of)
MONITOR MINE
Pinal County, Arizona
Scale: 1" = 1000 ft.

July, 1974

R. F. MERITZ

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George Scott

Martina
Hoffman

Progress Report
Letter of Certificate 1-2

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Bring up today -

Joint venture - more focused on other rules

FX Development - Steve Bignard

Sign Prof. - Pay 473 2021

John Cox - Marine

Cright Sandals up

Copper Hills -
Chris Cunningham

472-7481 Wed. 8:00 PM

Jim Simpson

Don Head - No pay - (same as before - 1606 Budget Center)

Dr Bill Patmore -
Murray Pizim

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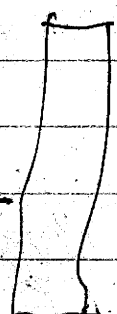
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